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Sir:

This is a request for filing a  $\boxed{X}$  continuation,  $\boxed{ }$  divisional, application of pending prior Application No.  $\boxed{09/775,597}$ , (Confirmation No.  $\boxed{9245}$ ), filed February 5, 2001.

Transmitted herewith for filing are the X specification; X claims; abstract; X declaration; X power of attorney; for the above-identified patent application.

The enclosed declaration is:

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- A signed statement is attached deleting inventors named in the prior application (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)).
- The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

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